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60 Day Request for Extension of Time to Oppose Upon Consent

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. Section 2.102, IKA - Werke GmbH & Co. KG, Janke und Kunkel Strasse 10, Staufen, 79219, GERMANY respectfully requests that he/she/it be granted an additional 60-day extension of time to file a notice of opposition against the above-identified mark with applicant's consent.

The time within which to file a notice of opposition is set to expire on 10/20/2004. IKA - Werke GmbH & Co. KG respectfully requests that the time period within which to file an opposition be extended until 12/19/2004.

Respectfully submitted, /John J. O'Malley/ 10/20/2004

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